



In re Application of:

NOZOMU NISHIBERI

Application No.: 10/073,970

Filed: February 14, 2002

For: RECORDING APPARATUS

Docket No.: 03500.016191

Examiner: J. Nguyen

Group Art Unit: 2861

Date: May 6, 2003

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 7 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | x \$ 9 \$18 | \$0.00 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 1 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | x \$42 \$84 | \$0.00 |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280 | | | | | | |
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☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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Introductory Comments

The present Amendment has been prepared in accordance with the Revised Format established by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, as permitted in the Pre-OG Notice entitled "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted".

In response to the Official Action mailed February 6, 2003, the Examiner is requested to amend the above-identified application as follows.